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FM AMEMBASSY VIENTIANE

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C O N F I D E N T I A L VIENTIANE 5437

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: CASC, PFOR, PINT, LA

SUBJECT: REPORT OF ARREST OF AMERICAN CITIZEN

REF: STATE 149716

1. AFTER RECEIVING FBIS ITEM CITED REFTTEL, CONSULAR OFFICER INQUIRED WITH VIENTIANE POLICE AND OTHER SOURCES, AND ASCERTAINED THAT NO ARRESTS OF AMERICANS HAVE OCCURED SINCE ROBERT GIBSON WAS DETAINED JUNE 20.

2. HOWEVER, GERMAN NATIONAL TRANSIENT WAS DETAINED DURING FIRST WEEK IN JULY. RADIO PATHET LAO APPEARED TO BE PLAYING HIS ARREST AS THAT OF AN AMERICAN. WHITEHOUSE

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